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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of :

Nicole SCHOEDEL et al.

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Examiner: Thanh P. Duong

For: REACTOR FOR PERFORMING A STRONGLY HEAT-CONDITIONED CATALYTIC
REACTION

REPLY UNDER 37 CFR §1.116

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Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action issued January 25, 2005, consideration of the following
remarks and arguments is respectfully requested:

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.